

Docket No.: 049677-0191



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Miyoko FUJIMOTO, et al. : Confirmation Number: Not Yet Assigned
Application No.: 10/593,278 : Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned
Filed: September 18, 2006 : Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
For: OPTICAL FIBER FOR IRRADIATION-LIGHT TRANSFER AND LIGHT
IRRADIATION DEVICE EQUIPPED WITH THE SAME

STATUS INQUIRY

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

A U.S. National Phase application was filed for the referenced application on September 18, 2006. Since more than eighteen (18) months have elapsed since that date and no response to said new application has been received by attorney for applicant, Applicant respectfully requests that the undersigned attorney be informed of the status of the referenced application.

Additionally, it is respectfully requested that the office of the undersigned please be provided with an Official Filing Receipt for the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

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